GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

PS – Police Department – Representation of Sri G.L.Harichander, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Intelligence, Hyderabad Region, formerly SDPO, Narayanapet of Mahabubnagar District against the modified punishment of 'Censure' – Allowed – Orders – Issued.

HOME (SERVICE-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 663

Dated: 19/04/2010 Read the following:-

- 1. From Sri G.L.Harichander, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Intelligence, Hyderabad Region, Representation dated 18.10.2009.
- 2. From the Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad, Letter Rc.No.543/O2/2009, dated 3.3.2010.

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ORDER:

In the reference $1^{\rm st}$ read above, Sri G.L. Harichander, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Intelligence, Hyderabad Region, has submitted a representation to Government, requesting to set aside the modified punishment of 'Censure', for the reasons mentioned therein.

2. The Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad, in his letter 2nd read above, has reported that the Deputy Inspector General of Police, Hyderabad Range, by following due procedure, imposed the punishment of "PPI for one year without effect on future increments and pension" on Sri G.L.Harichander, formerly SDPO, Narayanpet, Mahabubnagar District, now Deputy Superintendent of Police, Intelligence, Hyderabad, vide his proceedings dated 1.5.2009, for the following delinquency:-

"Sri G.L.Harichander, worked as SDPO, Narayanpet, Mahabubnagar District from 5.12.2007 to 8.1.2009. During his tenure, a grave case was reported on 20.9.2008 at 0700 hours at Makthal PS vide Cr.No.97/2008 u/s 376 IPC, wherein Smt Mannemma W/o Chennappa, R/o Jaulapur, H/o Gudigandla village, Makthal Mandal lodged a complaint stating that on 18.9.2008 at about 0830 hrs., her daughter Srilaxmi left the house to go the their fields in order to give food to her son on the way near the agriculture fields of Pedda Hanumanthu S/o Balappa, the accused P.Thirupathaiah S/o Kashimanna, R/o Jaulapur caught hold the hands of her daughter, dragged her into the bushes gagged her mouth with a cloth and pushed her on the ground and committed rape on her. The SHO received complaint and issued express FIR to all the concerned. The C.I., Makthal was not available then and therefore the investigation was carried by HC 907, Makthal PS. Being a SDPO, he should have taken the steps to entrust this grave case investigation to any other Inspector of his sub-division by way of seeking instructions from SP or Addl.SP, Mahabubnagar. But, he failed to do so.

With the above, Sri G.L.Harichander, formerly SDPO, Narayanpet, Mahabubnagar District, now D.S.P., Intelligence, Hyderabad Region exhibited gross neglect of duty by allowing the HC 907 to investigate the grave case in Cr.No.97/2008 u/s 376 IPC of Makthal PS though he was incompetent to do so as per APPM order No.91(1) to (5) and thereby violated the APPM order No.52(1) to 14".

His appeal petition was considered and modified the punishment to that of 'Censure' by the appellate authority i.e. Inspector General of Police, Hyderabad Region, vide his proceedings dated 14.10.2009. His revision petition was considered and rejected by the revisional authority ie. Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad, vide his proceedings dated 18.1.2010.

- **3**. After careful examination of the entire matter, with reference to the records made available, Government hereby **set aside** the above said modified punishment of '**Censure'** imposed on Sri G.L.Harichander, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Intelligence, Hyderabad Region, formerly SDPO, Narayanapet of Mahabubnagar District.
- **4.** The Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad, is requested to take necessary follow up action in the matter. The records received in the reference 2^{nd} read above are herewith returned and the receipt of the same should be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

P.GAUTAM KUMAR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

SECTION OFFICER